

WE NEED YOUR HELP

Occupant,

Are you having electrical difficulties due to the radio signals from KOKS FM radio station?

Most people in this area cannot receive channels 6, 15, or 8 during the day due to the radio programming of KOKS. Channel 12 is weak and some music is picked up on it during the laytime hours.

The radio station shuts down at 6:00 p.m. and starts again during the morning hours. This is only temporary, they are going to 24 hour broadcasting 100,000. watts very soon. *Nov 24 hrs.*

We have been told by the KOKS radio station "We will be staying on the air, everything will stay like it is and you might as well get use to it. You will never be able to pick up channel 6 again and were not responsible for interference on radios, TV's, tape players ect."

People are being out money to see why their TV's and radios are not working right. People do not know why their having these electrical difficulties the past month or so, we hope this letter will let you know what is going on. As you read this letter please support this effort to solve this problem.

Many items and neccessary equipment is being effected in our households and bussinesses. TV's, radios, telephones, computers, and stereo systems. Tape players play the radio signals with the tape. Any electrical or battery operated playing instruments with speakers receive the radio station signals, burgular alarm system, and baby monitors also receive the radio station signals.

If your receiving the radio station signals on your TV, it will be blocked out, snowy with static, or a blank picture. On your stereo systems and radios you will frequently receive only KOKS radio signals or it will blend in with the station your wanting to listen to.

Many people are confined to their homes due to illness or age, also many young children enjoy regular programing or items for enjoyment and entertainment.

We are not trying to put the KOKS FM radio station out of business, we are just wanting their radio signals not to interfere with our neccessary household and business items.

We have tried for over a month to get these problems solved. The radio station seems to think everything is okey, but we need to let the station know these problems exist.

These letters will be sent to neccessary offices so we can get help for the people receiving this radio interference. The only way we can stop this is by joining together and letting them know what is happening to the public at large. It is not right for anyone to monopolize or dictate the airways.

Please support your rights by mailing this letter to: Dorris Smith
Rt. 6 Box 260
Poplar Bluff, Mo. 63901
further information call 686-3300

Please circle any items below that are effected. If an item is not listed please write in the items.

<u>TV's</u>	Tape players
<u>Radios</u>	Musical instruments with speakers
<u>Telephones</u>	Burgular alarm systems
<u>Computers</u>	Intercom systems
<u>Stereo systems</u>	Baby monitors

Sincerely,
From the people who
know what the problem is
but need help to solve it

PS-
Feel free to send any additional comments
along with this letter.

YOUR SIGNATURE *Dorris Smith*
DATE 12-2-88
ADDRESS Rt 6 Box 47N
Poplar Bluff Mo
63901

ATTACHMENT 2

WE NEED YOUR HELP

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Many people are confined to their homes due to illness or age, also many young children cannot enjoy regular programming or items for enjoyment and entertainment.

We are not trying to put the KOKS FM radio station out of business, we are just wanting their radio signals not to interfere with our necessary household and business items.

We have tried for over a month to get these problems solved. The radio station seems to think everything is okay, but we need to let the station know these problems exist.

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Rt. 6 Box 260
Poplar Bluff, Mo. 63901
further information call 686-3300

Do you have a booster? YES or NO

Please circle any items below that are affected. If an item is not listed please write in the items.

TV's (6, 8, 12, 15) Tape players
Radios Musical instruments with speakers
Telephones Burglar alarm systems
Computers Intercom systems
Stereo systems Baby monitors
VCR's Satellites

second letter

Sincerely,
From the people who
know what the problem is
but need help to solve it

YOUR SIGNATURE Sandra Durbin
DATE 1-26-89
ADDRESS Rt 6 Box 47N / Camelot Estates
Poplar Bluff, Mo 63901
phone 785 2297

Please feel free to send any additional comments along with this letter.

*Reception even worse since station
went back on the air - station called 9
to come out + install filter + never showed up*

ATTACHMENT 3

PETITION

1. Is this your first petition? yes ☒ no
2. Do you still have TV interference from radio station KOKS? ☒ yes ☐ no
3. What channels are affected? ☒ 6 ☒ 8 ☒ 12 ☒ 15
 Some people have interference all the time on some channels, others off and on at different times.
 Describe interference on channel 6 can't get it at all
 Describe interference on channel 8 color goes / sometimes blacks out
 Describe interference on channel 12 bad picture, color, often blacks out
 Describe interference on channel 15 picture goes out & bad color - worse now than ever
4. Is your satellite system receiving interference? yes ☐ no ☒
 Describe interference NA
5. Do you have radio interference? ☒ yes ☐ no
 Describe interference Static off & on + Koks breaks in
6. Are you on cable? yes ☐ no ☒ Do you have interference from KOKS on cable? yes ☐ no ☒
 Have you reported this to your cable company? yes ☐ no ☒ If you reported this to your cable company what did they say or do? _____
7. Has KOKS contacted you about your interference problems? ☒ yes ☐ no
 How did they contact you? ☒ phone ☐ letter ☐ other _____
8. Did KOKS make an appointment with you? ☒ yes ☐ no More than one appointment? ☒ yes ☐ no
 Did KOKS show up for the appointed time? yes ☐ no ☒ Comments: did come out the 2nd time
9. Did KOKS personel come to your home? ☒ yes ☐ no Was this an engineer? yes ☐ no ☒
10. Did KOKS put a filter on your TV's or radios? ☒ yes ☐ no
11. Did these filters solve the interference? yes ☐ no ☒ Comments: Seemed to improve 8 & 15 for a short time
12. Do you have a booster? yes ☐ no ☒ Has KOKS given you enough technical assistance to solve your interference problems? yes ☐ no ☒ Comments: a lady told me the filter would solve the problem - it didn't - reception gets worse by the week

MAIL THIS PETITION TO:

Doris Smith
 Rt. 6 Box 260
 Poplar Bluff, MO 63901

Please PRINT your name and sign both.

PRINT name clearly SANDRA Durbin
 Signature Sandra Durbin
 Address Rt 6 Box 47 N P.B.
 Date 6-7-89

Please write comments on back or attach letter.

Thank you so much for your cooperation, this petition will be sent to the FCC in Washington D.C. Please mail this right away, the FCC is waiting for these results.

11 over

The conception that non christians are trying to close down KOKS is a lot of bologna - I'm a christian and I listen to christian music on tapes and albums at my choice of time. Christians should cooperate for the benefit of all & not be so self centered & be telling untruths I wouldn't listen to KOKS for the simple reason of their own lies & deny factics and I feel they have defeated their own purpose & have violated our freedom of choice. My reception is so bad I could spend 3/4 of the time I'm trying to watch a program especially the comedy shows & comedy shows just screaming - It is frustrating & certainly not enjoyable or relaxing to tolerate this situation as we have had to work hard & sometimes long hours & earn on a very tight income & would appreciate the opportunity to watch a TV show in its entirety without many interruptions - We all deserve more than what we are getting from KOKS in the way of understanding & action

Signed (Fed up!) Sandra Clurber

ATTACHMENT 4

File NO. BRH891103UA
Re: KOKS license renewal

QUESTIONNAIRE

Complainants NO.

205

1. Did KOKS send you a questionnaire by Registered Certified Mail? yes or no

2. Did you respond and send back their questionnaire? yes or no

(a) Did you approve of a home visit? yes or no n/a

(b) If answer to above is no, please explain. Comment: _____

3. Did KOKS personel call and make an appointment to come to your home? yes or no

(a) Did KOKS personel come at the appointed time? yes or no

(b) If answer to above is no, please explain. Comment: not since Oct 90

4. Did KOKS personel bring a tape recorder into your home? yes or no

(a) If answer is yes, did KOKS personel ask for and receive your permission to use the recorder? yes or no Comment: _____

5. Are you satisfied with the filter(s) that KOKS personel provided and does it continue to work at all times? yes or no Comment: n/a

(a) If you had any problems with the filter, did you call the station? yes or no
Comment: n/a

See Comments

6. Did KOKS personel restore your guaranteed channels to the reception you received before KOKS started broadcasting? yes or no

(a) If answer to above question is no, please describe continued interference on these channels:

Channel 12 See Comments

Channel 15 _____

Channel 8 _____

7. How many TV's, radios, or stereos, in your home did KOKS put filters on?

how many TV's _____ radios _____ stereos _____ satellite dish _____

(a) How many other items (radios, TV's, stereos) do you own which are affected by KOKS signal. (NOTE: mention only items which may be plugged into an electrical outlet, not battery operated)? How many TV's _____ radios _____ stereos _____ satellite dish _____

(b) Did KOKS personel offer to put filters on any of the above mentioned items listed in part (a) yes or no Comments _____

not since Oct 90

This page of the questionnaire is included for you to write any additional comments.

Please sign and date below, thank you.

2 years ago a lady from Koks come to the house & put a small filter on the 1 + V - It helped but did not cure all the problems & after 1 week the filter did not help at all - I have never heard from Koks in the past 2 years - I did call them & tell them again the filter didn't work anymore & they said that was pretty funny because they had calls saying it had helped and they hadn't gotten any calls that they were not working - I still have interference on channel 12 and 15 and normally can not get 8 and if I do it's black & white - I can't get Channel 6 at all - I also have interference on one telephone also
I have been making complaints since December 88.

Your Signature

Sandra Durbin

Please print:

NAME

SANDRA DURBIN

ADDRESS

Rt 6 Box 105

Poplar Bluff MO 63901

PHONE

785 2297

DATE

3-16-91

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this date 3-16-91

Eileen L. Adams

Eileen L. Adams

Notary Public

Commission expires 04-17-1992

ATTACHMENT 5

INFORMAL OBJECTION

This is an "Informal Objection" to the license renewal of Radio Station KOKS FM, 89.5 Poplar Bluff, Missouri on the grounds that they have not solved their blanketing and interference problems in and around the Poplar Bluff area.

I live inside the blanketing area. Koks put a
feeder on which only worked for a short time -
channel 8 I was able to get but can't now
I get the radio station on channel 8 - channel 12
is interrupted sometimes - Channel 15 is worse
than ever - always have blackouts & interruptions
never get to watch a whole show without many
interruptions - can't get Paducah at all -
interference on my phones - some radio
stations I can't get & come thru also on the
Stereo - I have changed my antenna, even
moved its position and also replaced my lead
wire - It seems weekly there is, more & more
problems - We shouldn't be subjected to these
problems - as I've stated before I am a Christian
& do listen to Christian music but I choose
my own music & time of my own discretion &
should have this right - and not have
something forced on me -

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this date 12-1-89.

Eileen L. Adams

Eileen Adams
Notary Public
Commission expires 4-17-1992

PRINT NAME SANDRA Durbin

Sign Signature Sandra Durbin

Address Rt 6 Box 47 N

Poplar Bluff MO 63901

Phone 314 785 2297

MM DOCKET NO. 92-122
MASS MEDIA BUREAU EXHIBIT 6

TESTIMONY OF CLARA FREEMAN

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Ex. 6

Clara S. Freeman
October 7, 1992

TESTIMONY OF CLARA FREEMAN

1. I, Clara Freeman, reside at Route 10, Box 70, Poplar Bluff, Missouri. I have resided there for 38 years. It is my understanding that my residence is within the blanketing contour of KOKS(FM).

2. At my residence, I have two televisions, one of which is connected to an outdoor roof top antenna. The antenna is about 7 or 8 years old. It was installed by my late husband. The antenna is in a fixed position, roughly aligned toward the north, northeast. The antenna is now connected to my large television set by coaxial cable. I do not listen to radio very much. I also have a satellite dish which is not connected to my television sets. It was disconnected in the summer of 1990.

3. Before KOKS(FM) began broadcasting, I could and did watch television channels 6, 8, 12 and 15 on both my television sets. Channel 6 was the weakest; channels 12 and 15 were clear and strong. We did not watch channel 8 very often. When KOKS(FM) began broadcasting, reception from channel 6 was eliminated. Channel 8's picture deteriorated but was still watchable. Channel 12's picture was affected by snow and wavy lines, and the color often faded. Generally, it was not a clear picture. I could watch channel 15, but the picture was not as

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Reporter B. Lord

Date _____

clear. However, whenever KOKS(FM) ceased broadcasting, I could watch television as I had before KOKS(FM) began broadcasting. I do not remember how, if at all, our television reception over the satellite was affected because my husband watched the satellite stations.

4. Shortly after KOKS began broadcasting, my husband called the station on several occasions to complain about our loss of reception. Mrs. Nina Stewart came to our house and installed a piece of flat lead-in wire. She and my husband and I noted that the wire did not do any good. It is my understanding that KOKS also installed a filter at a subsequent date, sometime in the spring or summer of 1989. The filter did no good. KOKS has not contacted us since that date.

5. On December 2, 1989, I signed an informal objection, a copy of which appears as Attachment 1. I hereby reaffirm the accuracy of the statements made therein. On March 16, 1991, I signed a questionnaire, a copy of which appears as Attachment 2. I hereby reaffirm the accuracy of the statements made therein.

6. The FCC visited my home in February 1992. I saw my television reception improve when KOKS was off the air.

7. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on Oct. 16, 1992.

Clara Freeman

Clara Freeman

ATTACHMENT 1

INFORMAL OBJECTION

This is an "Informal Objection" to the license renewal of Radio Station KOKS FM, 89.5 Poplar Bluff, Missouri on the grounds that they have not solved their blanketing and interference problems in and around the Poplar Bluff area.

1. We are stilling having Problems with Channel 12
Are unable To receive Channel 6. At all.
2. We are in The blanketing Area about
1 mile from The station.
3. We have had interference with our VCR
And also SATellite
4. We feel we are being Discriminated against
And our rights To receive A free flow of
information have been violated.
5. KOKS has Placed a filter on our T.V.
it was No help. We advised Them of The
fact. The statement in Sept. 22, 1989
report from KOKS no 33 page 11 is UnTrue
IT is an out and out Lie.
6. We are also un-able To receive
Channel 8 and our radio
reception is Terrible

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this date 12-2-89.

Eileen L. Adams

Eileen Adams
Notary Public

Commission expires 4-17-1992

PRINT NAME Clara Freeman

Sign Signature Clara Freeman

Address Route 10, Box 70

Poplar Bluff, Mo

Phone

785-4162

ATTACHMENT 2

File NO. BRH891103UA
Re: KOKS license renewal

QUESTIONNAIRE

Complainants NO. 238

1. Did KOKS send you a questionnaire by Registered Certified Mail? yes or no

2. Did you respond and send back their questionnaire? yes or no

(a) Did you approve of a home visit? yes or no

(b) If answer to above is no, please explain why. Comment: Never Contacted

me

3. Did KOKS personel call and make an appointment to come to your home? yes or no

(a) Did KOKS personel come at the appointed time? yes or no

(b) If answer to above is no, please explain. Comment: Never Contacted

me.

4. Did KOKS personel bring a tape recorder into your home? yes or no

(a) If answer is yes, did KOKS personel ask for and receive your permission to use the recorder? yes or no Comment: Never Contacted me

5. Are you satisfied with the filter(s) that KOKS personel provided and does it continue to work at all times? yes or no Comment: Never had a

filter

(a) If you had any problems with the filter, did you call the station? yes or no
Comment: _____

6. Did KOKS personel restore your guaranteed channels to the reception you received before KOKS started broadcasting? yes or no

(a) If answer to above question is no, please describe continued interference on these channels:

Channel 12 Have Wavy lines, Picture disappears, Sound fades

Channel 15 Sound goes away, at time Picture is very fuzzy

Channel 8 at times Picture is not there, at other times Very Poor

7. How many TV's, radios, or stereos, in your home did KOKS put filters on? None
how many TV's _____ radios _____ stereos _____ satellite dish _____

(a) How many other items (radios, TV's, stereos) do you own which are affected by KOKS signal. (NOTE: mention only items which may be plugged into an electrical outlet, not battery operated)? How many TV's 2 radios 1 stereos 1 satellite dish _____.

(b) Did KOKS personel offer to put filters on any of the above mentioned items listed in part (a) yes or no Comments Never bee contacted

by station. If station says otherwise
They are lying.

This page of the questionnaire is included for you to write any additional comments.

Please sign and date below, thank you.

The last contact I have had with them
(the station) they put a pig ~~tail~~ tail felted
on / TV. It was not successful and I
refused to sign any paper. In Dec 1989
I signed ~~an~~ a notarized statement that they
had not been successful. I have complained
since Dec. 1988.

My telephone has sound from the station at times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this date 3-16-91

Eileen L. Adams

Eileen L. Adams

Notary Public

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Your Signature Clara E. Freeman

Please print:

NAME Clara E. Freeman

ADDRESS Route 10, Box 70

Poplar Bluff, mo

PHONE 785-4142 DATE _____

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Mass Media Bureau Exhibit 7

TESTIMONY OF JOANNE GRAY

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Ex. 7

TESTIMONY OF JOANNE GRAY

1. I, Joanne Gray, reside at Route 6, Box 590, Poplar Bluff, Missouri. I have lived there for 23 years. My home is about two miles south, southeast of KOKS' antenna, which is within the blanketing contour.

2. My home has an antenna on a pole, about even with the roof line, which connects to the TV by a lead-in wire. We installed the antenna 23 years ago. It is oriented toward Channel 12 and would have to be turned by hand to change its orientation.

3. Immediately before KOKS started broadcasting, I owned two television sets. One was about 16 years old then. The other one was a 13 inch black and white set, about 4 years old. The older TV was hooked up to the roof top antenna. The newer one had an antenna with a loop on the back. I owned two radios. Both TV sets received Channels 12 and 15 with a very clear picture. Channel 6 did not come in as clearly, but the picture was in color on the main TV. Although the picture was still fairly good, Channel 6 did not come in as well on the smaller TV. Channel 8 had the weakest picture.

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Reporter B. Ford

Date

4. When KOKS started broadcasting, I immediately lost the signal for Channels 6 and 8. There were lines, snow, and no color. KOKS' audio could be heard. Channel 12 had intermittent lines a great deal of the time, as well as snow. One could see the picture and there was color. At times, we could hear KOKS' audio. Initially, there was not much difference in the reception of Channel 15. On the radio, KOKS could be heard on whatever the desired station.

5. When KOKS went on the air, I called the station to complain. This was the only time I complained directly to the station. A lady whose name I do not know came to the house shortly thereafter and installed a filter on the main TV. It had little effect, and the lady admitted as much. I told the lady about my second TV and my radios, and I turned one of the radios on. The lady did not offer to correct the reception on the second TV or the radios. This was the only time anyone from KOKS came to my home.

6. In the summer of 1990, I purchased a satellite system. The system has a switch to change from satellite reception to reception via the main TV's antenna. KOKS does not appear to affect my reception on the satellite system.

7. In October, 1991, I bought a new television set. I transferred the filter from the old to the new TV set, where it